

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (original) A data-storage system (100, 200) comprising:
  - a processor means (110, 260) for obtaining identifier data of media content existing in the system, the identifier data being used for identifying the media content, and
  - a memory (120, 265) for retaining the identifier data after the media content is absent from the system,
  - a retrieval means (110, 260) being arranged to allow retrieval of the media content using the identifier data.
  
2. (original) The data-storage system of claim 1, wherein the retrieval means is arranged to allow retrieval of the media content, which is absent in the system and stored in a first device (299) external to the system, from the first device to a second device external to the system.
  
3. (original) The data-storage system of claim 1, wherein the processor means is arranged to allow generating the identifier data by analyzing media content stored in a device (299) external to the system, for retrieval of the media content from said external device.

4. (original) The data-storage system of claim 1, wherein the processor means is arranged to receive the identifier data with the media content, or to generate the identifier data.

5. (original) The data-storage system of claim 1, wherein the processor means is arranged to obtain the identifier data after the media content is absent from the system.

6. (original) The data-storage system of claim 5, wherein the processor means is arranged to receive the identifier data from a device external to the system (299), the external device being arranged to obtain the identifier data (generated/extracted) for the media content.

7. (original) The data-storage system of claim 1, wherein the system further comprises a recorder (255) for recording the media content, and/or a storage means (140, 270) for storing the media content before the media content is absent from the system.

8. (original) The data-storage system of claim 1, wherein  
- the processor means is arranged to enable a user to input meta-data describing the media content, or

- the processor means is arranged to enable a user to input the identifier data.

9. (original) The data-storage system of claim 1, wherein the identifier data comprise:

- storage identifier data indicating a storage device (299) external to the system, the device being arranged to store the media content after the media content is absent from the system, and/or
- location data indicating the location of the media content in the external storage device.

10. (original) The data-storage system of claim 1, wherein the identifier data relate to meta-data describing the media content, the meta-data comprising information about at least one of:

- a time and/or a date when the media content is recorded,
- a location where the media content is recorded,
- a user identity data.

11. (original) The data-storage system of claim 1, wherein the processor means is arranged to:

- select meta-data describing a desired media content,
- find the identifier data corresponding to the selected meta-

data,

- determine a content-storage device (299) in which the desired content is stored,
- determine a presentation device for presenting the content,
- enable the presentation device to obtain the content from the content-storage device.

12. (currently amended) At least one consumer electronics product being one of a video camera, a computer (PDA), a video recorder, or a remote control device, comprised in the data-storage system as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims~~claim 1.

13. A method of storing data, the method comprising the steps of:

- (520) obtaining identifier data of media content existing in a data-storage system, the identifier data being used for identifying the media content,
- (530) retaining the identifier data after the media content is absent from the system, and
- (540) allowing retrieval of the media content using the identifier data.

14. (original) A computer program product enabling a programmable device, when executing said computer program product, to function as the system as defined in claim 1.